

Project Manager Soldier Equipment



AN/PEQ-15 Advanced Target Pointer Illuminator Aiming Light (ATPIAL)

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Motivator



This system allows you faster target acquisition times in day and night time operations in order to kill the enemy.



Terminal Learning Objective



Action: Identify how to operate the ATPIAL, identify system functions and safety precautions.

Conditions: Given in a classroom environment with all required materials and equipment.

Standard: The student will have knowledge to operate the ATPIAL correctly; understand the various system functions, and safety precautions.



Administrative



Safety: General Applies

Risk Assessment:

Environmental: Dispose of batteries in accordance with proper hazmat protocols.

Evaluation: Practical Exercises and Oral Review.



Instructional Lead In





The ATPIAL is a rugged multifunction laser device that emits both visible and infrared (IR) light for precise weapon aiming and target/area illumination.



Enabling Learning Objective A



System Description and Safety

Action: Identify the system description and applicable safety precautions pertaining to the ATPIAL.

Conditions: Given in a classroom environment with all required materials and equipment.

Standard: The student will understand the system description and safety precautions pertaining to the ATPIAL.





Danger

Invisible Laser Radiation-Avoid Direct Exposure to the Beam

- Do not stare into the infrared laser beam.
- Do not look into the infrared laser beam through binoculars or telescopes.
- Do not point the infrared laser beam at mirror like surfaces.
- Do not shine the infrared laser beam into other individual's eyes.





WARNING

Make sure weapon is **CLEAR** and on **SAFE** before proceeding.

- Risk of detection by enemy-avoid prolonged activation.
- The infrared beam is more detectable when used in smoke, fog and rain conditions.





WARNING

- Do not store with batteries installed.
- High Power modes are not eye safe and are blocked with a (Blue) safety screw.
- All high power modes shall not be used for force-on-force training.





| Laser/Mode | Laser Safety Classification | Min Eye Safe With Out Magnification | Min Eye Safe 7x magnification |
|---|--------------------------------|--|----------------------------------|
| Infrared (IR) Aim Low TRAINING | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Visible Aim Laser TRAINING | 3a | 35 | 215 |
| Infrared (IR) Illuminator Laser Low TRAINING | 3a | 25 | 160 |
| Infrared (IR) Aim Laser High TACTICAL | 3b | 220 | 1300 |
| Infrared (IR) Illuminator Laser High TACTICAL | 3 b | 220 | 1300 |



System Description



The ATPIAL provides the following capabilities:

- Stand-Alone and Dual Modes to include:
 - Visible Aiming Laser
 - Infrared Aiming Laser
 - Infrared Illuminator
- Momentary or Constant ON Activation
- Remote Switch Activation
- Programmable Illuminator Pulse Rate
- Mounts to MIL-STD-1913 mounting rail of the host weapon.



System Description





The ATPIAL is designed for operation in battlefield environments for precise weapon aiming, target marking and illumination.



System Description



- The Advanced Target Pointer Illuminator Aiming Light is referred to by the following names in the Army Tech Manual ATP-TM-MFAL:
 - Advanced Target Pointer Illuminator Aiming Light
 - ATPIAL
 - AN/PEQ-15



Enabling Learning Objective A Summary



Covered system description and applicable safety precautions pertaining to the ATPIAL. Addressed the proper safety precautions dealing with laser classification and (NOHD) referred to as minimum eye safe distance and force on force training. Applicable names for the system in accordance with the ATP-TM-MFAL.



Enabling Learning Objective B



Action: Identify the major components and equipment description of the ATPIAL.

Conditions: Given in a classroom environment with all required materials and equipment.

Standard: The student will be able to identify each major component and identify the equipment description of the ATPIAL.



Major Components





| Item | Description |
|------|---|
| 1 | Soft Carrying Case |
| 2 | Operator and Unit Maintenance Manual |
| 3 | Quick Reference Guide |
| 4 | ATPIAL Assembly |
| 5 | Pattern Generators (set of 5) |
| 6 | Remote Cable Switch |
| 7 | Tape Fastener (3) |
| 8 | Strap, Retaining (2) |
| 9 | Battery, 3-Volt Lithium |







Soft Carrying Case

Protects the ATPIAL and accessories while in a field environment.



Operator and Unit Maintenance Manual

Provides operating and maintenance procedures.



Quick Reference Guide

Provides a quick at-a-glance instruction for operation, mounting and boresighting.





ATPIAL Assembly

Weight: 7.5 ounces (with one DL123A Battery installed)

Length: 4.6 inches

Width: 2.8 inches

Height: 1.6 inches







Visible Aim Laser

•Range: >25m

IR Aim Laser

•Range: >600m (Low)

•Range: >2000m (High)

IR Illuminator

•Range: >600M (Low)

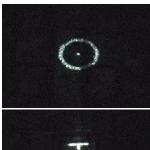
•Range: >2000M (High)







Pattern Generators













Allows the Squad / Platoon Leader to discriminate his commands from other leaders.

Used for hand-held and weapon mounted command & control.

- 5 Patterns being fielded.
- Mounts over the Aiming Exit Port.
- Projects a 2.6 meter pattern at 300 meters.





Remote Cable Switch

The Remote Cable Switch allows for remote activation of the ATPIAL in the selected mode of operation.



Tape Fastener and Retaining Straps



Tape Fastener- Used to secure the Remote Cable Switch to the weapon to allow various configurations to prevent a snag hazard.



Retaining Straps- May be used alone or in conjunction with tape fastener as an alternate means of attaching the Remote Cable Switch to the weapon.

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DL123A 3-Volt Lithium Battery



Power and Performance

Batteries

One 3-volt DL 123A Lithium

Battery Life

>6 hours in Dual Hi

Waterproof

6m for 1 hour



Enabling Learning Objective B Summary



We have identified the major components and equipment description of all the equipment contained in the soft carrying case when you receive the ATPIAL.



Enabling Learning Objective C



System Operation

Action: Identify the operational modes and correctly perform operation of the ATPAL.

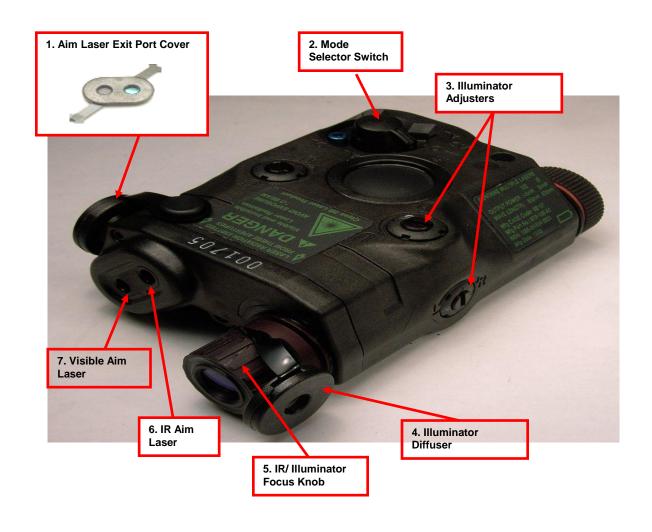
Conditions: Given in a classroom environment with all required materials and equipment.

Standard: The student will be able to correctly operate the ATPIAL.





Function and Feature Overview





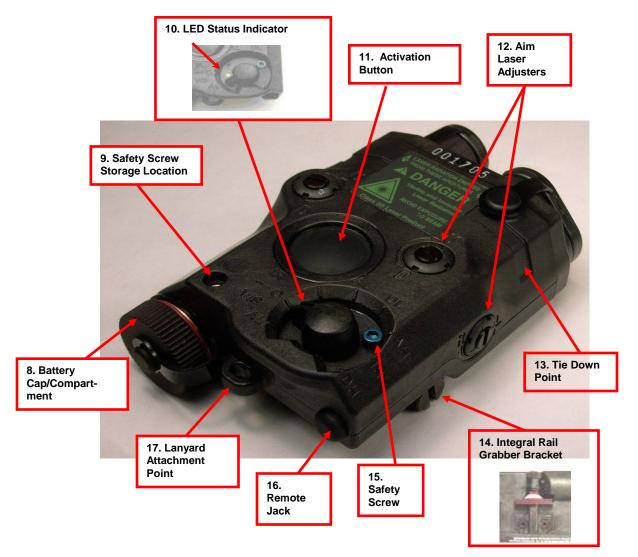


Function and Feature Overview

- 1. Aim Laser Exit Port Cover Contains a neutral density lens that is used with the IR Aim Laser during zeroing. It eliminates blooming effects on the target seen during boresighting. Contains a solid or opaque filter over the Visible aiming laser to prevent unintentional lasing.
- **2. Mode Selector Switch** Allows the user to select the desired mode of operation for the ATPIAL. When switched to O (OFF), the ATPIAL will not emit laser energy.
- **3. Illuminator Adjusters** These adjusters can be rotated in windage and elevation to bring the illumination area over the aiming beam, and can be used to align the IR Illuminator with the barrel of the weapon.
- **4. Illuminator Diffuser** When installed over the IR Illuminator, the diffuser spreads the laser energy over an angle approaching 180 degrees (20x20x10 foot room), allowing for illumination of a wider area. This is useful for illuminating a small room and is most effective when used in conjunction with the IR Illuminator Focus Knob adjusted to the widest beam (flood) setting.



Function and Feature Overview cont.







Function and Feature Overview

5. Infrared Illuminator / Focus Knob

Used with night vision devices to provide variable focused IR illumination of the intended target area. The Illuminator Focus Knob is rotated to vary the illumination beam spread from flood to spot, based on the range and size of the area to be illuminated.

6. Infrared Aim Laser

Used with night vision devices to provide a precision aim point or to mark targets.

7. Visible Aim Laser

Primarily used for boresighting the ATPIAL during daylight hours. The Visible Aim Laser is also used to provide a precision aim point or to mark targets at close range during the day or night, without the need of night vision devices.

8. Battery Cap / Battery Compartment

Provides secure housing for the 3-volt DL123A battery that powers the ATPIAL.





Function and Feature Overview

9. Safety Screw Storage Location

Allows for secure storage of the Safety Screw after it has been removed from the Lockout Position.

10. LED Status Indicator

A light emitting diode (LED) used to indicate when the ATPIAL is emitting laser energy, when the battery power is low, and displays the pulse rate during programming of the IR Illuminator.

11. Activation Button

When in P (PROGRAM) mode, the Activation Button allows for programming the IR Illuminator pulse rate. When in one of the six operational laser modes (i.e., VIS: AL, IR: AL, AH, DL, IH, DH), the Activation Button is used to actively emit laser radiation that corresponds with the position of the Mode Selector.

12. Aim Laser Adjusters

These adjusters can be rotated to simultaneously bring the co-aligned aim lasers; Visible and IR, into windage and elevation alignment with the barrel of the weapon.





Function and Feature Overview

13. Tie-down Point

Allows the user to secure the ATPIAL to the weapon system using zip ties, safety wire, parachute cord, or other appropriate material.

14. Integral Rail Grabber Bracket

Secures the ATPIAL to a weapon equipped with a MIL-STD-1913 rail.

15. Safety Screw

When installed in the Lockout Position, the Safety Screw prevents the Mode Selector from being turned to the high power laser settings (i.e., AH, IH, DH). Removal of the Safety Screw allows for access to all modes of operation. All high power modes will not be used for force-on-force training.

16. Remote Jack

Provides an interface for the Remote Cable Switch. The ATPIAL comes with a Remote Jack Plug installed to protect the Remote Jack from debris and moisture.

17. Lanyard Attachment Point

The Lanyard Attachment Point allows the user to secure the ATPIAL.





Battery Installation

The ATPIAL is powered by one 3-volt DL-123A Lithium battery.

To Install the battery

Unscrew the battery cap by rotating CCW. Orient the battery so that the positive end of the battery faces the battery cap.

Reinstall the battery cap by rotating CW until tightly secured to prevent water from entering the battery compartment.







Mode Selector Switch

- **1. Vis Aim Low (VIS-AL)** The visible aiming beam operates at LOW power.
- 2. Off (O) The ATPIAL will not operate
- **3. Program** (**P**) Program Mode
- **4. IR Aim Low** (**IR-AL**) The infrared aiming beam operates at LOW power.
- **5. IR Dual Low (IR-DL)** The infrared aiming beam and infrared illuminator operates at LOW Power.
- **6. IR Aim High** (**IR-AH**) The infrared aiming beam operates at HIGH power.
- 7. **IR Illum High (IR-IH)** The infrared illuminator operates at HIGH power.
- **8. IR Dual High (IR- DH)** The infrared aiming beam and infrared illuminator operates at HIGH power.



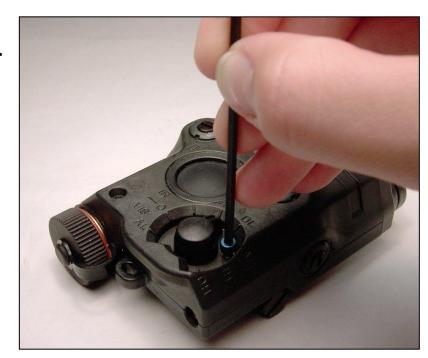




Safety Screw

For training, the screw is installed in the switch area by the Unit Maintainer, preventing the operator from accessing the non-eye safe modes.

- When installed in the storage position, tactical modes of operation are available.
- A 3/32-inch hex head wrench is needed to remove the safety screw.







Activation Button

Momentary Operation:

Pressing and holding the Activation Button operates the ATPIAL in the operational mode set by the mode selector. When the button is released the ATPIAL turns off.

Continuous Operation:

Pressing the Activation Button twice in rapid succession (double-tap) latches ATPIAL laser(s) ON. The unit will remain ON until the push button is pressed a third time (single-tap).







Remote Cable Switch

Momentary Operation:

Pressing and holding the Remote Cable Switch Pad operates the ATPIAL in the operational mode set by the mode selector. When the button is released the ATPIAL turns off.

Continuous Operation:

Pressing the Remote Cable Switch Pad twice in rapid succession (double-tap) latches ATPIAL laser(s) ON. The unit will remain ON until the push button is pressed a third time (single-tap).







LED Status Indicator

- Located adjacent to the Mode Selector Switch.
- Indicates when the ATPIAL is emitting laser energy.
- Provides a warning when the ATPIAL battery power is low.
- Displays the pulse rate of the infrared illuminator when a pulsing mode is selected.







LED Status Indicator Cont.

| Indicator Color | Indicator Rate | ATPIAL Status | |
|-----------------|---|--|--|
| GREEN | SOLID | Laser(s) activated or continuous | |
| GREEN | 1 Pulse per Second | 1 Illuminator pulse per second | |
| GREEN | 2 Pulses per Second | 2 Illuminator pulses per second | |
| GREEN | 4 Pulses per Second | 4 Illuminator pulses per second | |
| GREEN | 8 Pulses per Second | 8 Illuminator pulses per second | |
| RED | SOLID | ATPIAL Low Battery (Mode Selector not in OFF Position but lasers not activated.) | |
| GREEN/RED | Solid Green with Red Pulse every 5 Seconds | 7 | |
| RED | Solid 2 Second Pulse | Near IR programming failed | |
| ORANGE | 3 Orange Pulses | Near IR programming successful 38 | |





Illuminator Pulse Rate

NOTE:

Used when multiple operators illuminate an area by setting pulse rates of 1, 2, 4, or 8 times per second.

Setting the Pulse Rate

- Rotate the Mode Selector Switch to Program
 (P).
- Press and hold the activation button.
- Rotate the Mode Selector Switch to set the Pulse Rate.
 - **AL -** Continuous
 - DL 1 per second
 - AH 2 per second
 - IH 4 per second
 - DH 8 per second







Illuminator Focus Knob

- 1. The Illuminator Focus Knob varies the illumination beam spread from flood to spot, based on the range and size of the area to be illuminated.
- 2. Use the guide on the housing to determine the direction of the beam size.
- 3. Turning the Illuminator Focus Knob CW, as shown on housing guide, adjusts the illuminator to a Flood position .
- 4. Turning the Illuminator Focus Knob CCW, as shown on housing guide, adjusts the beam to a Spot.









Illuminator Diffuser

Enables the ATPIAL illuminator laser to approach an angle of 180 degrees (Illuminates a 20X20X10 foot room). It is used primarily for illuminating targets at close range.

To use:

Remove the Illuminator Diffuser Lens Cap from the stored location by stretching it out and place over the front of the illumination knob so that it is snug and firmly in place.







Aim Laser Exit Port Cover

Contains a neutral density lens that is used with the IR Aim Laser during zeroing. It eliminates blooming effects on the target.

Contains a solid or opaque filter over the visible aiming laser to prevent unintentional lasing.

To use:

Remove the Aim Laser Exit Port Cover from the stored location by stretching it out and place over the front of the aiming laser exit ports so that it is snug and firmly in place. Aim Laser Exit Port Cover







Pattern Generators







Remove the Aim Laser **Exit Port Cover from**

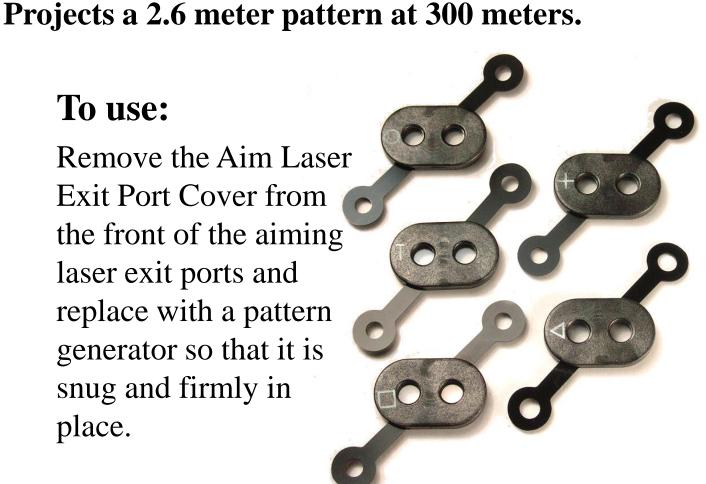
the front of the aiming laser exit ports and

replace with a pattern generator so that it is

snug and firmly in

place.



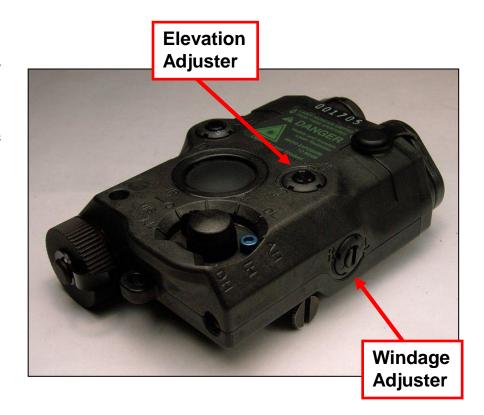






Adjusters

- The ATPIAL is equipped with adjusters for independent adjustment of the aiming and illumination beams in both elevation and windage.
- Visible and infrared aiming lasers are co-aligned with respect to each other.
- Boresighting can be accomplished using either the visible or infrared aiming beam.
- Up, Down, Left, and Right markings on the housing represent strike of the round on boresight adjusters, but represent laser travel on illuminator adjusters.





Enabling Learning Objective C Summary



We have identified the operational modes and correctly performed operation of the ATPAL to include programming the illuminator for pulse rate, momentary and constant on along with remote cable activation.



Enabling Learning Objective D



Mounting, Boresighting and Zeroing Procedures

Action: Learn the mounting and zeroing procedures applicable to ATPIAL.

Conditions: Given in a classroom environment with all required materials and equipment.

Standard: The student will be able to demonstrate the mounting and zeroing procedures applicable to ATPIAL.



Mounting Procedures



Mounting Configurations

The ATPIAL contains an integral Rail Grabber Mounting Bracket enabling the ATPIAL to mount directly to any MIL-STD-1913 Mounting Rail of the host weapon.

| Weapon | Configurations | |
|----------|---|--|
| M16A4 | Top, Left, or Right Mount | |
| M4/M4A1 | Top, Left, or Right Mount | |
| | Feed Tray Cover Rail Mount | |
| M240B | Left or Right Side Mount on Forward Rails | |
| | Feed Tray Cover Rail Mount | |
| M249 SAW | Left or Right Side Mount on Forward Rails | |





Mounting Procedures



Mounting to M4 MWS

- 1. Loosen the clamping knob on the ATPIAL Rail Grabber until it has sufficient space to fit over the rail.
- 2. Secure the recoil lug of the ATPIAL Rail Grabber to the rail by applying downward and forward pressure to take out the slack then turning the slotted knob CW finger tight.
- 3. Tighten the clamping knob with a coin or multipurpose tool ½ of a complete turn or 180 degrees to ensure proper seating.





Mounting Procedures



Mounting to M4 MWS

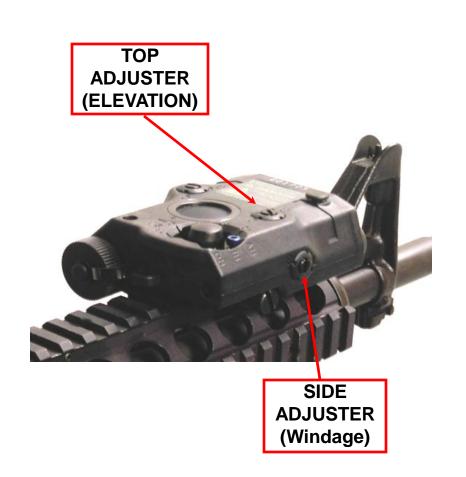
4. Install the Remote Cable Switch in a convenient location.





Boresight Adjusters

- Each click represents approximately .5 cm at 25 meters and 2 clicks = 1cm
- Directional indicators
 are adjusted to the strike of
 the round not the movement
 of the laser.
- For factory preset zero turn the adjuster CW to the mechanical stop then turn CCW 2.5 revolutions.



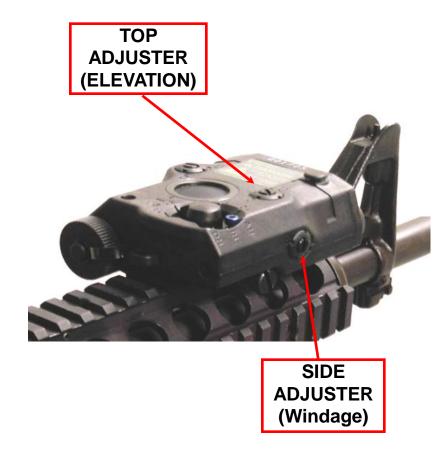




Adjuster Rotation Top Mount

| AIMING BEAM MOVEMENT | ADJUSTER ROTATION | SHOT GROUP MOVEMENT |
|-------------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|
| Top Adjuster | CW | UP |
| Elevation | CCW | Down |
| Side Adjuster | CW | Right |
| Windage | CCW | Left |

| ILLUMINATION BEAM MOVEMENT | ADJUSTER ROTATION | LASER MOVEMENT |
|----------------------------------|----------------------|-------------------|
| Top Adjuster | CW | Down |
| Elevation | CCW | UP |
| Side Adjuster | CW | Right |
| Windage | CCW | Left |



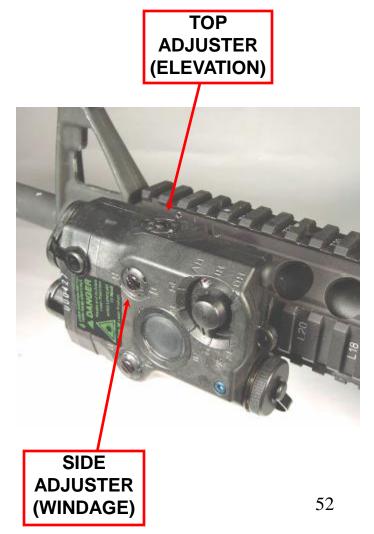


Adjuster Rotation Left Side Mount

| AIMING BEAM MOVEMENT | ADJUSTER ROTATION | SHOT GROUP MOVEMENT |
|-------------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|
| Top Adjuster | CW | UP |
| Elevation | CCW | Down |
| Side Adjuster | CW | Left |
| Windage | CCW | Right |

TEAM

| ILLUMINATION BEAM MOVEMENT | ADJUSTER ROTATION | LASER MOVEMENT |
|----------------------------------|----------------------|-------------------|
| Bottom Adjuster Elevation | CW CCW | UP Down |
| Side Adjuster | CW | Right |
| Windage | CCW | Left |

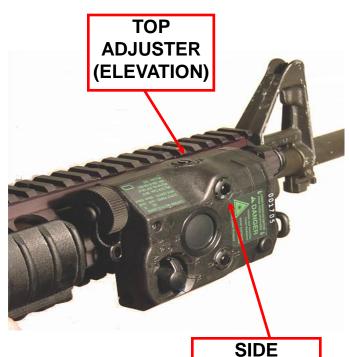




Adjuster Rotation Right Side Mount

| AIMING BEAM MOVEMENT | ADJUSTER ROTATION | SHOT GROUP MOVEMENT |
|------------------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|
| Bottom Adjuster Elevation | CW CCW | Down Up |
| Side Adjuster | CW | Right |
| Windage | CCW | Left |

| ADJUSTER | LASER |
|----------|-----------|
| ROTATION | MOVEMENT |
| CW | Down |
| CCW | Up |
| CW | Left |
| CCW | Right |
| | CW CCW |



ADJUSTER (WINDAGE)





There are two methods for zeroing the ATPIAL to your weapon.

- 1. 10 Meter Laser Boresight (LBS) and Target Offset numbers
- 2. 25 Meter Range (Live Fire Zero)

NOTE: All Target offsets and 25 meter impact zone coordinates can be found in the TM 5855-1914-10 page 2-17



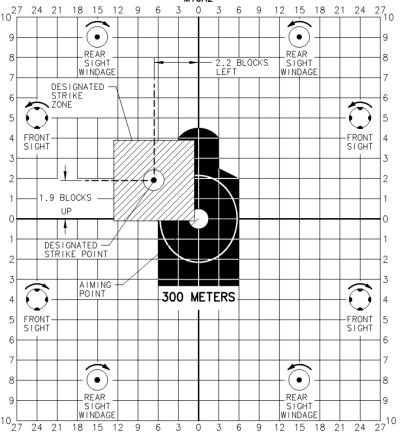


25 Meter Range

- 1. On a 25 meter M16A2 zeroing target, mark the designated strike point and designated strike zone based on the weapon you are using.
- 2. Mount the target on an "E" silhouette or other suitable surface at 25 meters.
- 3. Mount the ATPIAL to the host weapon.
- 4. Rotate the ATPIAL Mode Selector Switch to VIS Aim or IR Aim selection dependant upon day or night range.
- 5. Activate the laser using either the Activation Button or Remote Cable Switch and aim center of mass.

M4 MWS WITH ATPIAL MOUNTED ON THE TOP RAIL VIS AIMING LASER

25 METER ZEROING TARGET M16A2





Designated

Strike Point

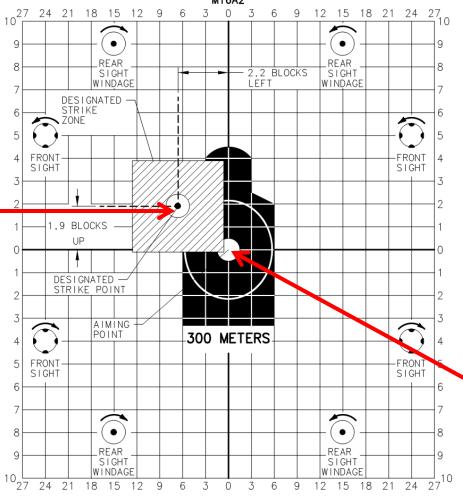
Zeroing Procedures



25 Meter Range

M4 MWS WITH ATPIAL MOUNTED ON THE TOP RAIL VIS AIMING LASER

25 METER ZEROING TARGET M16A2



Point of aim (Center Mass)

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25 Meter Range

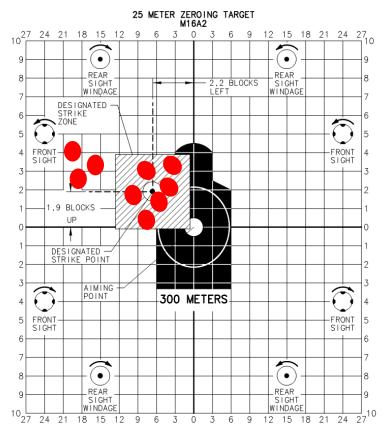
- 6. Fire a 3 round shot group and note the center of the shot group relative to the designated strike point. Re-tighten ATPIAL Rail Grabber.
- 7. Adjust the aiming beam adjusters to move the center of the shot group to the designated strike point.
- 8. Fire another 3 round shot group and again observe the center of the new shot group relative to the designated strike point repeat step #7 as necessary.
- 9. When 5 out of 6 rounds are in the designated strike zone you are zeroed.
- 10. Once the aiming beam is zeroed, rotate the Mode Selector to the DL (DUAL LOW) or DH (DUAL HIGH) position to observe both the IR aiming and illumination beams. Rotate the Illuminator Adjusters to center the illumination beam over the IR aiming beam.





25 Meter Range

M4 MWS WITH ATPIAL MOUNTED ON THE TOP RAIL VIS AIMING LASER



NOTE: The center of the shot group relative to the designated strike point.

Make your adjustments as indicated.





10 Meter Laser Borelight

Note:

You must first zero the Laser Bore Sight to the weapon. Ensure that you use the appropriate borelight mandrel for your individual weapon system.





10 Meter Laser Borelight

- 1. Stabilize the weapon. This can be accomplished by placing the weapon in a Gun Vise or holding device. If these items are not available, position weapon on a <u>solid-stable</u> surface such as a heavy table. Choose a weapon position where the weapon is most stable.
- 2. Wipe laser Borelight mandrel with a clean cloth and apply a <u>light film</u> of oil on the mandrel. Insert laser Borelight mandrel in weapon muzzle using a light steady force until the mandrel taper seats in the muzzle.



CAUTION: Do not apply an excessive inward force to the laser Borelight once the tapered end of the mandrel has seated in the muzzle.





10 Meter Laser Borelight

- 3. With a plain white piece of paper at 10 meters from the weapon. (In classroom environment, distance can be simulated for training if actual classroom does not provide enough room).
- 4. For zeroing the Borelight laser, with the plain piece of paper draw a dot on it. Turn on the laser Borelight. With the help of an assistant, hold a target at 10 meters and place the piece of paper so that the dot you have drawn hits the center of the laser dot.
- 5. Rotate Borelight tool counter-clockwise from the gunners perspective, rotating laser Borelight housing clockwise may cause the Borelight to unscrew from mandrel. Slowly rotate the Borelight while watching the dot made by the laser on the target area. If the dot remains stationary the Borelight is aligned and boresighted to the weapon.







10 Meter Laser Borelight

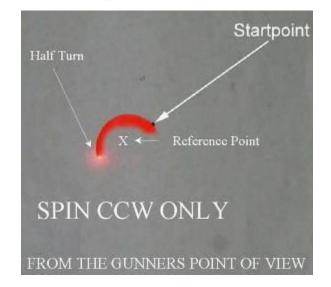
- 6. If the laser dot rotates in a circular pattern away from the dot you have drawn on the piece of paper, the Borelight windage or elevation or both MUST be adjusted using the following procedures. This procedure is done at a 10-meter distance and you can measure this with the 10-meter line provided in the borelight case.
- 7. Slowly rotate the Borelight one-half turn. Note the new location of the laser dot (rotate position). Adjust the Borelight windage and elevation until the laser dot moves one-half the space from its Start Point and Half Turn (the middle mark between the 2 locations shown as Reference Point). After you have made your adjustment, return the laser to the Start position and repeat this process until the laser dot rotates with in 1cm of it's self.



Borelight in the 12:00 START POINT Position



Borelight in the HALF TURN Position

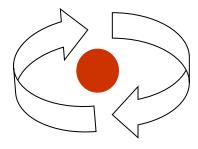






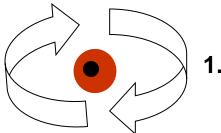
10 Meter Laser Borelight

Aligned



When rotated Start Position and Half Turn position remain in the same spot.

Not Aligned



1. Start Position

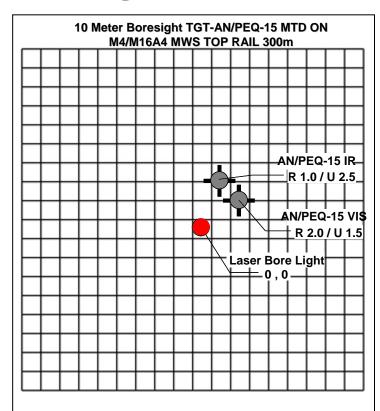
2. Half Turn Position





10 Meter Laser Borelight

- Hang the Proper offset Target at a
 Distance of 10 Meters from the
 Weapon Barrel.
- Adjust the Weapon or the Target so that the Borelight Laser Dot is centered on the Target Dot labeled
 BORELIGHT. Be sure that both the
 Target and the Weapon are Level.
 Hold the Weapon steady in this
 Position.
- 3. Rotate the Mode Selector switch CCW to Visible Aim Low (VIS AL).



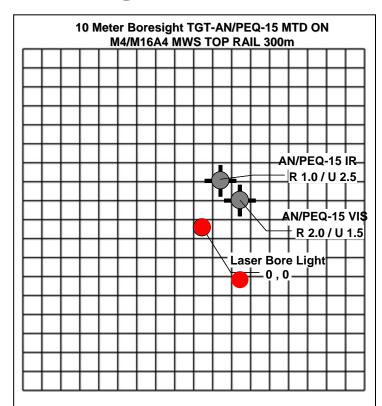
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10 Meter Laser Borelight

- 4. Move the Aiming Neutral Density/Opaque Lens Cap to the store location.
- 5. Double Tap the Laser Activation Button for Steady-on.
- 6. Rotate the <u>AIM</u> Windage Adjuster on the side of the ATPIAL to move the Visible Laser beam to the proper Horizontal position on the Offset Target (labeled VIS AIM).
- 7. Rotate the <u>AIM</u> Elevation Adjuster on the top of the ATPIAL to move the Visible Laser Beam to the proper Vertical position on the offset Target (labeled VIS AIM).
- 8. Press the Laser Activation Button once to shut off the AIM Laser.
- 9. Move the Aiming Neutral Density/Opaque Lens Cap from the stored location by stretching it out and over the front of the aiming laser exit ports so that it is snug and firmly in place.



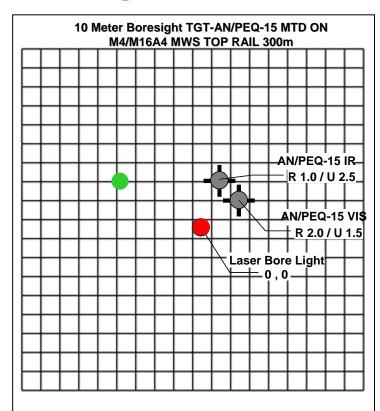
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10 Meter Laser Borelight

- 10. Rotate the Mode Selector switch **CW** to Dual Low (DL).
- 11. Move the Illuminator Diffuser Cap to the store location and adjust the Illuminator to a spot or refined beam by rotating the Illuminator Focus Knob CCW to the mechanical stop.
- 12. Double Tap the Laser Activation Button for Steady-on.
- 13. Rotate the <u>Illuminator</u> Windage Adjuster on the side of the ATPIAL to move the Illuminator Laser beam to the proper Horizontal position as desired by the user.



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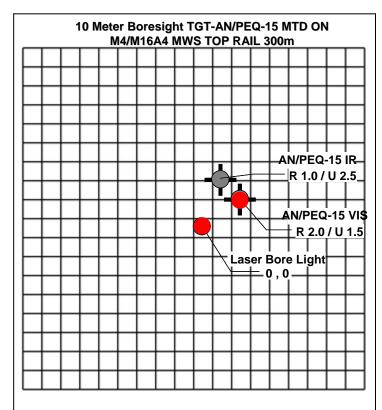


10 Meter Laser Borelight

- 15. Press the Laser Activation Button once to shut off the AIM Laser.
- 16. Move the Illuminator Diffuser Cap from the stored location by stretching it out and over the front of the illumination knob so that it is snug and firmly in place.
- 17. Rotate the Mode Selector switch **CCW** to OFF (O) position.

CAUTION:

- 1. If Adjusters become Difficult to Turn, do not Force them. Stop & see your Armorer.
- 2. Turning, the Adjusters beyond the Limit of Operation or Forcing them will Break either the Adjuster or Internal Components.

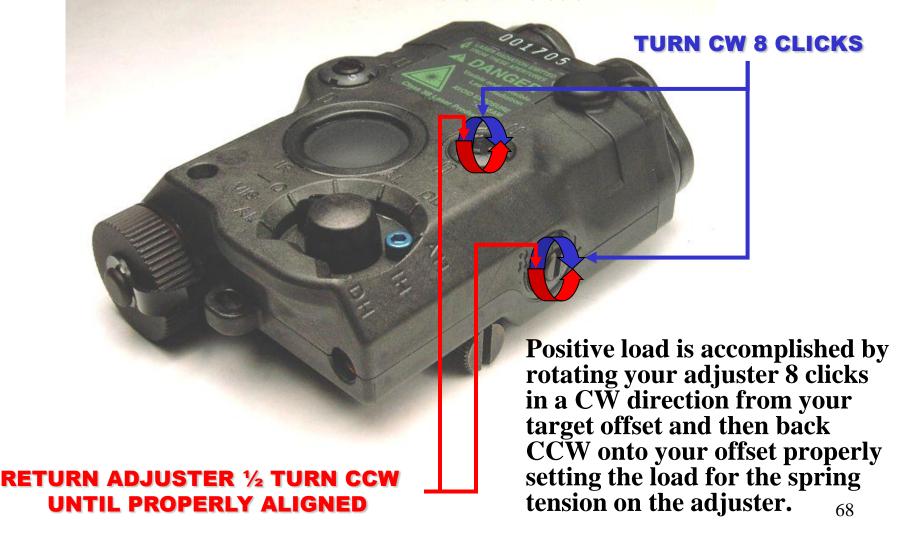


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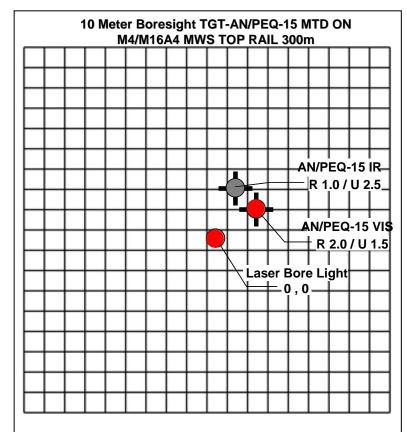


Positive Load





Positive Load



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Enabling Learning Objective D Summary



We have discussed and learned how to mounting procedures and zeroing the ATPIAL using 2 methods 25 meter live fire and 10 meter boresight to obtain a proper zero for this system to allow you to engage the enemy.



Enabling Learning Objective E



PMCS and Trouble shooting

Action: Identify the applicable PMCS and maintenance and troubleshooting procedures for ATPIAL.

Conditions: Given in a classroom environment with all required materials and equipment.

Standard: The student will be able to demonstrate field level maintenance and troubleshooting procedures for ATPIAL.



Maintenance Operator Level



Always observe the **WARNINGS** and **CAUTIONS** appearing in a PMCS table.

WARNINGS and **CAUTIONS** appear before applicable procedures.

You must observe **WARNINGS** to prevent serious injury to yourself and/or others and **CAUTIONS** prevent the equipment from being damaged.



Maintenance Operator Level



Operator Maintenance

The ATPIAL is sealed device designed to operate in severe environments. All of the outer components are made of chemical resistant materials and will not normally be harmed by chemicals encountered during military operations.

Operator maintenance is limited to the inspection and cleaning of the ATPIAL external surfaces, replacement of batteries before each mission, and removal of batteries after each mission.







Operator Level

| ltem | Interval | Item to be Inspected | Procedure | Not Fully Mission Capable if: |
|------|----------|-------------------------------|--|--|
| 1 | B/A | ATPIAL Major Components | Verify that all major components are present, inspect for damage, and clean per TM paragraph 3.3.1 | Any major components are damaged or missing. |
| 2 | B/A | ATPIAL Exterior | a. Clean housing and around buttons, switches, adjusters, and attachment points per TM paragraph 3.3.1 | a. Mud/dirt/sand around buttons, switches, adjusters, or attachment points preclude proper operation of the ATPIAL |
| | | | b. Inspect and clean all lenses per TM paragraph 3.3.2 | b. Lenses are cracked, pitted, scratched or cannot be cleaned |
| | | | c. Check for cracked housing | c. Housing is cracked |
| 3 | В/А | Battery Cap and o-ring | a. Inspect o-ring. Clean, lubricate and/or replace as necessary per TM paragraph 3.3.3 | a. O-ring cannot be cleaned or replaced |
| | | | b. Inspect Battery Cap for damage | b. Battery Cap is bent or scratched in the o-ring seating area |
| 4 | В/А | Remote Jack | Remove Remote Jack Plug and inspect Jack for corrosion, dirt or damage | Dirt or damage prevents installation of the Remote Cable Switch. |









Operator Level

| ltem | Interval | Item to be Inspected | Procedure | Not Fully Mission Capable if: |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 5 B/D/A Integral Rail Grabber Bracket | B/D/A | Grabber | a. Inspect for damage to Integral Rail Grabber Bracket | a. Integral Rail Grabber Bracket is damaged |
| | b. Ensure the Integral Rail Grabber is properly secured to the rail and tightened per TM paragraph 2.3.3 | b. Integral Rail Grabber cannot be properly secured to the rail. | | |
| | | | c. Install ATPIAL on weapon per TM paragraph 2.3.3 | c. ATPIAL cannot mount to weapon |

Prior to performing PMCS Item 6, install ATPIAL battery per TM paragraph 2.2.2

WARNING

Be sue the Mode Selector is in the O (OFF) position prior to installing battery.

| 6 | B/A | ATPIAL Operation | a. Select and activate each mode of operation per TM paragraphs 2.5.1 and 2.5.2 | a. Visible Aim Laser not visible. Using NVGs, IR Aim Laser and/or IR Illuminator not visible |
|---|-----|---------------------|---|---|
| | | | b. Install and activate Remote Cable Switch per TM paragraph 2.5.3 | b. Remote Cable Switch is not functioning properly or is damaged |





Operator Level



1. External Cleaning

Clean the exterior of the ATPIAL by flushing with water and wiping with a soft cloth. Cleaning should be done whenever the ATPIAL becomes dirty or after exposure to salt water.

CAUTION: DO NOT USE CLEANING CHEMICALS THAT CONTAIN PERCHLOROETHYLENE, METHYL ETHYL KEYTONES (MEK), OR METHYLENE CHLORIDE AS SOME COMMERCIAL BREAK FREE PRODUCTS HAVE.

2. Window Cleaning

To clean the aiming and illumination beam windows, wipe using a soft cloth or cotton swab with clean water.

3. Battery Compartment

Before each use, inspect the battery and battery compartment for dirt, dust, or corrosion. Thoroughly clean each battery compartment by flushing with water and wiping with a soft cloth. Verify that o-ring is present at the base of the battery compartment threads.







Operator Level

4. Battery Insert and Cap

Prior to use under water, inspect the o-ring seal on the battery compartment to make sure it is free of sand or dirt particles. If the o-ring becomes cut, nicked, or dried out, it should be replaced. If the battery cap is bent, or scratched in the o-ring seating area, it should be replaced.

5. Battery Replacement

No tools or equipment are required to replace the battery.

6. Remote Cable Jack

Before each use, inspect the remote cable receptacle for dirt, dust, or corrosion. Thoroughly clean the receptacle flushing with water and wiping with a soft cloth or cotton swab. Salt Fog environments accelerate corrosion on the contacts which could cause the Remote Cable Switch to malfunction.

Battery Insert o-ring





Troubleshooting cont.

| Malfunction | Test or Inspection | Corrective Action |
|--|--|--|
| Lasers not visible or fail to come on when activated | a. Ensure corrective actions in TM Table 3-2 were properly attempted | a. Perform corrective actions in TM Table 3-2 |
| | b. Inspect Battery Compartment for battery contact corrosion | b. Clean Battery Compartment and contacts per TM paragraph 4.2.1 |
| 2. ATPIAL cannot be mounted to the weapon | a. Ensure corrective actions in TM Table 3-2 were properly attempted | a. Perform corrective actions in TM Table 3-2 |
| | b. Inspect integral Rail Grabber Bracket for damage | b. Return Unit to manufacturer for repair if necessary. |
| | c. Check for dirt or debris on weapon rail. | c. Remove the dirt or debris from the weapon rail. |





Troubleshooting

| Malfunction | Test or Inspection | Corrective Action |
|--|--|---|
| 3. Aim Lasers cannot be zeroed to the weapon | a. Ensure corrective actions in TM Table 3.2 were properly attempted | a. Perform corrective actions in TM Table 3-2 |
| | b. Inspect integral Rail Grabber Bracket for damage | b. Return Unit to manufacturer for repair if necessary. |
| 4. Remote Cable Switch inoperable, but Activation Button functions | a. Inspect Remote Jack for corrosion on contacts | a. Clean Remote Jack contacts per TM paragraph 4.2.3 |
| properly | b. Inspect Remote Cable for damage | b. Replace Remote Cable Switch |
| | c. Test Remote Cable Switch with Light, Test, NSN 6625-00-618-6246 | c. Replace Remote Cable Switch |
| 5. Battery Cap Lanyard broken or damaged | a. Battery Cap Lanyard broken or damaged | a. Replace Battery Cap Lanyard per TM paragraph 4.2.3 |
| 6. Safety Screw missing | Verify Safety Screw is not in either the Lockout Position or Safety Screw Storage Location | Replace Safety Screw |
| 7. Remote Jack Plug missing | Missing Remote Jack Plug | Replace Remote Jack Plug 79 |





Unit Level

Battery Compartment and Contacts Cleaning.

- 1. Remove Battery Cap. Inspect Battery Compartment for corrosion.
- 2. Clean Battery Compartment and contacts with Isopropyl Alcohol and Soft Cloth or Cotton Swabs.
- 3. Reinstall Battery Cap.







Unit Level

Remote Jack Contacts Cleaning

- 1. Remove Remote Cable Switch or Remote Jack Plug if installed.
- 2. Inspect Remote Jack contacts for corrosion.
- 3. Clean contacts with Isopropyl Alcohol and Cotton swabs.
- 4. Reinstall Remote Cable Switch or Remote Jack Plug.







Unit Level

Replacement of Illuminator Diffuser Lens Cap

- 1. Remove Illuminator Diffuser
 Lens Cap and lanyard from over
 the Illuminator Focus Knob.
- 2. Pull open end of replacement lanyard over the Illuminator Focus Knob.
- 3. Position in groove in the Illuminator Focus Knob.







Unit Level

Replacement of Aiming Neutral Density/Opaque Lens Cap or Pattern Generators

- 1. Remove either the Aiming Neutral Density/Opaque Lens Cap or the Pattern Generator by pulling the lanyard over the lanyard attachment pins.
- 2. Orient the Aiming Neutral
 Density/Opaque Lens Cap or the
 Pattern Generator by aligning the
 lenses and the lanyard attachment pins.
- 3. Attach the open ends of the lanyard to the lanyard attachment pins.







Unit Level

Replacement of Battery Cap Lanyard

- 1. Remove Battery Cap.
- 2. Pull lanyard over Battery compartment threads.
- 3. Separate lanyard from Battery Cap.
- 4. Pull large end of replacement lanyard over Battery Insert threads.
- 5. Position in groove between o-ring and ATPIAL housing.
- 6. Attach small end of replacement lanyard to the Battery Cap







Unit Level

Replacement of Lens Cap Pins

The Lens Cap Pins protrude from raised rings on the housing of the ATPIAL and are used to secure the Aiming Neutral Density/Opaque Lens Cap to the ATPIAL. To ensure the repair of these items will not damage the ATPIAL housing the following procedure must be used:

- 1. Use a craftsman's knife to carefully scrape out remaining adhesive within raised ring of housing being careful not to damage the housing or raised ring.
- 2. Clean area using Isopropyl Alcohol and Cotton Swab to prep the area for adhesive.
- 3. Use a jewelers file to lightly rough the base of the new lens cap pin.
- 4. Place one drop of methyl cyanoacrylate within the raised ring.
- 5. Place the new lens cap pin into place and apply pressure for one minute.
- 6. Set the device aside for 5 minutes before attaching Aiming Neutral Density/Opaque Lens Cap or a Pattern Generator.





Troubleshooting

| Malfunction | Test or Inspection | Corrective Action |
|--|--|---|
| Lasers not visible or fail to come on when activated | a. Check battery | a. Replace battery per TM paragraph 2.2.2 |
| | b. Verify Mode Selector is not in O (Off) or P (Program) mode | b. Turn Mode Selector to the desired setting. Activate laser per TM paragraph 2.5.2 |
| | c. Ensure watchdog timer hasn't activated after 5 minutes of continuous laser operation. | c. Reactivate activation button. |
| | d. If using remote cable, ensure there isn't any residue in jack. | d. Clean remote jack. |
| | e. Check battery contacts for dirt, debris or corrosion. | e. Clean dirt, debris, or corrosion off of battery contacts. |
| | f. Check opaque cover isn't over the aim lasers. | f. Move the opaque cover from laser path to the storage position. |
| Lasers appear weak or are not visible down range | a. Check battery | a. Replace battery per TM paragraph 2.2.2 |
| uo wii runge | b. Check lenses for dirt, mud or debris | b. Clean lenses per TM paragraph 3.3.2 |
| | c. Ensure Aiming Neutral Density/Opaque Lens Cap, Pattern Generator and/or Illuminator Diffuser are not installed in front of laser apertures | c. Remove Aiming Neutral Density/Opaque Lens Cap, Pattern Generator and/or Illuminator Diffuser |





Troubleshooting cont.

| Malfunction | Test or Inspection | Corrective Action |
|---|--|--|
| ATPIAL cannot be mounted to the weapon | a. Ensure weapon is equipped with a MIL-STD-1913 rail | a. Install ATPIAL on weapon with a MIL-STD-1913 rail |
| | b. Check for dirt or debris on weapon rail. | b. Remove the dirt or debris from the weapon rail. |
| | c. Check for dirt or debris on integral Rail Grabber Bracket | c. Remove dirt or debris from integral Rail Grabber Bracket |
| Aim Lasers cannot be zeroed to the weapon | a. Ensure Proper mounting procedures are being followed | a. Review mounting procedures in TM section 2.3 |
| | b. Ensure proper establishment of zero preset | b. Review procedures for establishing zero preset per TM paragraph 2.4.3 |



Warranty



The ATPIAL is under warranty from defects in material and workmanship for one (1) year from the date of manufacture stated on the label. **This warranty does not protect against damage due to misuse or mishandling.**

ATPIAL RETURN INSTRUCTIONS

When returning the ATPIAL for service, repair, or replacement, first email <u>returns@insight-tek.com</u> or call toll-free 1-877-744-4803, and ask to speak with a Field Return Coordinator (FRC).

To assist the FRC with determining if the item is repairable, the following information shall be provided:

- 1. Serial number of the defective item.
- 2. Thorough description of the malfunction, defect, or damage.
- 3. An explanation, if known, as to how the malfunction, defect, or damage occurred.

If the FRC determines the item to be beyond economical repair, follow applicable replacement procedures through your Property Book Officer. If the FRC determines the item is under warranty, or should be returned for repair, a Return Material Authorization (RMA) number will be provided.



Warranty



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Currently the process and procedures for non-warranty items are being furnished. Things being defined are TAT's, economical to repair vs. discard, etc.

When returning the ATPIAL for service or repair, the following procedures should be followed to prevent any additional damage.

- 1. Be sure that the ATPIAL is free of all contaminations such as dirt or any other foreign material.
- 2. Remove battery.
- 3. Place the ATPIAL in the Soft Carry Case.

Place the item and a copy of the test report or detailed description of the failure in a suitable packing container.

Mark the package with "Field-Return" and the RMA Number. Ship via fastest, traceable, pre-paid means to Insight Technology, Incorporated, 9 Akira Way, Londonderry, NH 03053.



Quality Deficiency Reports



•Reports of Maintenance and Unsatisfactory Equipment:

If your equipment is performing unsatisfactorily or you are having maintenance problems, please contact the lead instructor or the contacts provided in the warranty section.

•Reporting of Items and Packaging Discrepancies:

Fill out and forward SF 364 (Report of Discrepancy (ROD)) as prescribed in AR 735-11-2/DLR 4140.55/ SECNAVINST 4355.18/ AFR 400-54/ MCO 4430.3J.



Enabling Learning Objective E



Summary

We have Identified the applicable
Preventative Maintenance Checks and
Services (PMCS) and maintenance,
troubleshooting and warranty
information and procedures for the
ATPIAL.



Terminal Learning Objective Summary



We have identified all equipment issued with the ATPIAL. How to operate the system in all modes to include program the illuminator for a pulse rate. Covered complete mounting procedures and borelighting the system to the individual weapon. Also covered how to conduct a proper PMCS and applicable maintenance procedures in accordance with the TM. Informed students about the

manufacturers warranty applicable to the

ATPIAL.



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